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Sir:

In accordance with 37 CFR 1.84(a)(2), Applicant submits herewith three sets of color drawings containing FIGS. 1-8 for filing in the above-referenced application. Applicant respectfully petitions for the use of these color drawings as formal drawings in the examination of the present application. Applicant believes that the use of the color drawings is necessary and essential to the teaching and understanding of Applicant's invention.

The color drawings illustrate the enhanced levels of detail available utilizing Applicant's fluorescent features that, in combination with Applicant's colored light features, embody Applicant's invention.

In further compliance with 37 CFR 1.84(a)(2), a Preliminary Amendment is being filed simultaneously herewith which incorporates the necessary language to the first paragraph of the brief description of the drawings section of the specification, as well as a change to the title of the invention.

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In accordance with 37 CFR 1.17(i), Applicant herewith submits a check in the amount of \$130.00, in payment of the Petition fee. If there are any further fees necessitated by this communication not covered by the enclosed check, the Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any such fees to our Deposit Account No. 50-1887, referencing our Order No. P01619.

Respectfully submitted,

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